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Sir:

The following remarks are respectfully submitted in response to the Office  
Action dated March 13, 2002.

REMARKS

Claims 1-9 are pending in the application. Reexamination and  
reconsideration are respectfully requested.

In the Office Action, claims 1-9 were rejected as obvious over German  
Patent Document DE 42 03 512 C1, which was cited by the Applicant and  
uncovered from the counterpart German examination. Applicant respectfully  
traverses this rejection and submits the present claims are in condition for